### His One Mistake

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"Do you wish to see any one here?" "Savin' yer prisince. Oi come to get a squint at the ex-prisidint."

"Why do you wish to see the expresident?" "Because ivery one wants to see 'im.

to be sure-because he's the greatest man on airth." "Why is he great?"

"len't be the frind of the workin'man, besides countin' among his acquaintances the crowned heads of

A sturdy gentleman in glasses smiled. "Pat," he said, "you are right in placing the ex-president's friendship for the workingman ahead of his acquaintance with the crowned heads. you may get a sight of him," Pat accepted the invitation, and the

two strolled about the grounds. "OI'm wonderin"," said Pat, "where he kapes the wild animals he brought ing the past two months. from Africa."

ferent museums. But tell me more about why you admire him."

"Well, O'im thinkin'," Pat replied, scratching his bead, "that-that, as I told ye, he's the frind o' the workin'man, and Ot lolke him becase he don't in Quebec and Labrador.

"He tould 'em to get out o' Egypt. It would 'a' been all roight if he'd made it Oirland."

The gentleman smiled. nagers anyway? And Ofm hearin' is, and the foine population of elligent men and women. And them havin' the feet o' England on their necks. If the ex-prisident had said, 'Aither govern Oirland roight or git out,' it

"You've a good head on you. Pat." said the gentleman: "What other fault have you to find with the expresidenty

take off the duty on tay. Tay's a foine dhrink, and the only people that

"Thin what's the use o' makin' such a fuss at electin' 'em?"

ex-president."

born in the roight countbry." "What country should be bave been born in?"

"Oirland. Oi niver think of 'im but Ol see in me moind a beautiful pictur' of 'im at an Oirish fair, brandishin' a shillalah over his head, jumpin' up it-stren'us-that's the worrd, stren'-

"Another way I loike to pictur' 'im is stirrin' up all them kings, tellin' the spalpeens how to govern their people just loike an American prisident 'ud do jumpin' around among 'em, knockin' house. It reads:off their crowns and givin' the poor devils they've oppressed a chance to live in their palaces swhile."

The gentleman led the way to the house on the top of the bill and motioned Pat to go in: "I'll introduce you to the ex-president," he said,

But Pat demurred. dirthy clothes to go into the house of the great man. Besides, I don't need talk yet, Clair and Eva, are crying for by hundreds. The body was found in an introduction."

"You don't?" "No: I've been talkin' to 'im." "How did you know me?"

"By the windy glass over yer ols and morrow. Yours with love, yer beautiful white teeth I seen in the newspaper pictures."

er race!"

"Not so clever as you Amerykins." "How do you make that out?" "Well, sort, when I seen y' walkin' no credit to me to know ye. But didn't son of the Points, Lake Sunapec, went havin' seen even a photograph o' me? man came to blows. Picking up some

"Bridget." "Roight ye are! Ony man as smart as yees should be elected prisident for Move for World-wide Condemnation of

woman's name!

"Tell me, Pat. did you come in here from curiosity, or had you a purpose?" "A purpose is it? An' yer askin' me me purpose? Had ye a purpose whin ye was prisident in not rememberin' the office snykers?"

in' in here. It was to tell ye ye made a misthake in tellin' 'em to git out o' Egypt instead o' Oirland."

Pat had another, an inferior purpose; he wanted something to buy "tay" with, and he got it.

### SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

then's Foot-Ease, the antisoptic powder. It message from Spain, strations in Spain, analy takes the sting out of sorms and bunders. It's the greatest comfort discovery of he age. Allow's Foot-Ease makes tight or swaling callons, swollan, tired, aching feet is ways use it to break in new shoes. Try it to is a sort in the stration of the Clericals has received a message from Pope Pius X, through cardinal merry del Val, the papal section asy. Soil error where, by mail for the take in the strations and Catholic demonstrations. Don't accept any substitute For the trial package, address Alien S. Climated also contained the apostolic blessing.

## CUT INTO HEART LOST IN WEIGHT

Prof. McFarland of Middlebury College Back

FROM TRIP IN VIRGIN WILDS

Been-Gets Much Valuable Data Through His Researches.

wilderness of western Labrador, where Come with me. I'll show you around no white man is known to have trod and was subject to hard headaches as the ex-president's place, and perhaps before, Prof. Raymond McFarland of often as two or three times a week. Middlebury college has traveled in a ca. After I had been sick for some time I

With Prof. Thomas C. Brown and "He didn't bring any wild animals Phelps N. Swett, also of Middlebury of the heart and was short of breath alive from Africa. He brought their college, who accompanied him during a especially upon going up stairs. I didn't skins. They are to be stuffed for dif-portion of his exploring expedition, he I had no ambition and was depressed. returned to Middlebury yesterday, Much valuable geographical and topographical be said I was suffering from lack of blood and that he would give me medicine to build me up but he didn't help me. I had been sick for about two years when

visited the gold and copper mining region "What's the valy o' them Egyptian on Lake Chibogomo and established sev- since eral observation stations for the purpose their country's nothin' but sand and of securing data concerning terrestrial hot enough to roast eggs in, savin' the magnetism. On Sept. 2 the expedition Halladay. spaineens haven't got the eggs. But reached the Mistassinny post of the Oirland: The beautiful land that it Hudson Bay company, one of the two Hudson Bay company, one of the two interior posts now remaining in the Labrador peninsula.

All druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. After traveling 375 miles from Lake

St. John, the party was divided on Sept. 'ud 'a' been lolke sayin' 'git out o' Oir. 5. Professors Swett and Brown turned to study geological formations along the File-Axe and Chief rivers. Professor Me-Lake Mistassini.

Professor McFarland and his guide climbed the Porcupine range of moun-

Professor McFarland met and conversed ed a man for disturbing the peace, "Tell me some more faults of the with a number of Indian hunters, who, Kenney, who lives near by, went out CABINET READY with their families, were proceeding to talking to L. vis, returned to a point "Well, sorr, Of'm thinkin' he wasn't their winter hunting grounds in the in- near his home. He claims that he saw terior of Labrador.

### GIRL AIDS JAILED MOTHER.

Appeal to Public Releases Parent and Infant from Cell.

a shifthian over his head, jumphi up and crackin his heels together, swear.

Newport, N. H., Sept. 27.—Little Gerkendall suspended the two officers and filed a complaint against them with crowd. He's mighty-what d'y' call countryside here worked up over the Mayor John M. Woods. cause of her mother and baby sister. The woman has been in jail for 18 days in default of a fine of \$1 and costs, amounting to \$8.75, and she had to Geraldine at once wrote a stirring appeal to the public, had it printed on it. Of can see 'Im if he had the power cards and distributed it from house to

To the Christian People of Newport: mother with a babe at her breast to jail for protecting her home. But your skirts of the town, prayers are asked for mamma, who was oully out of our yard with a lilac twig.

Siberia, Blot out the shame. Remem-ber the innocent baby in his cell to-

"Geraldine Bowman, age 14." "Good for you! You Irish are a cley. the clergy and the members of the churches. A petition is to be sent to the governor. As a result of the stir, Mrs.

about here, the cock o' the walk, I had All the trouble arose over a cow that enough pictur's of ye in me moind to strayed into the Bowman back yard. Lench's body has not been recovered. cover the ceilin' of a church. It was Herbert Shorey, caretaker for Dr. Emerye call me by me name without iver to get the doctor's cow, and he and Bow A Skin of Beauty is a Jey Forever. Ye called me Pat at onct. Now, OI band's aid and beat Shorey about the twigs, Mrs. Bowman went to her huswonder, sorr, if ye kin guess me ole arms,

### VATICAN ENCOURAGES PROTEST.

Mayor Nathan's Address.

Rome, Sept. 27 .- Reports that the holy see has dispatched official protests to the foreign sovernments against the anti-clerical speech delivered by Ernesto Nathan, the mayor of Rome, at the celebration Sept. 20 of the fortieth anniversary "I couldn't remember them all, Pat." of the fall of the temporal power of the "Well, sorr, I had a purpose in com- church, are denied in Vatican circles. It nuncios and bishops have been instructed to encourage a world-wide protest against the mayor's address. Many messages protesting against the speech are pouring into the Vatican.

### POPE AUTHORIZES MEETINGS. Next Sunday Set for Catholic Demon-

# OF LABRADOR AND STRENGTH

WAS PALE, NERVOUS, DEPRESSED AND SUBJECT TO HEADACHES.

Shortness of Breath and Palpitation of the Heart Were Also' Symptoms of Anamia in This Case.

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began to be brouted with networks and would imagine all sorts of things and didn't want to be left alone. I was very much run down and lost in weight and strength until I couldn't do anything. I I had no ambition and was depressed.

"I was under a physician's care and man, and Ol lolke him becase he don't moind tellin' thim foryners what he thinks of 'em. But he made wan mistake in talkin' to the Britishers."

"What's that?"

"He tould 'em to get out o' Egypt."

in Quebec and Labrador.

Early in August the three professors.

Williams' Pink Pills had saved his daughter's life. As she had taken the pills for snamin I decided to give them a trial. They helped me right along and I took several boxes and wascured. Since they have the or they have the allerge they have the allerge they have the along the professors. abaun rivers to the Height-of-land, then I have taken the pills occasionally which was crossed August 27. The party as a tonic especially in the spring. They gave me new life and made me feel like a new person. I have been in fine health

A booklet, "Diseases of the Blood," will be sent free upon request to anyone interested in the remedy that cured Miss

### OFFICERS IN TROUBLE.

Free Use of Revolver,

Somerville, Mass., Sept. 27 .- A dis-

During this portion of the journey, disorder in progress, and Lewis arrestto see what too trouble was and after Lewis fire three shots at a young man ble, he started towards Lewis with the intention of trying to disarm him. The latter, the sergeant alleges, then discharged his revolver at Kenney and ran

The shot went wild. Yesterday, Chief of Police Charles A.

### YOUNG GIRL KILLED.

take her five-months-old infant with her. Body of Elizabeth Anderson Found by Searching Party.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 27 .- A Detroit News special from Goderich, Ont., says: Elizabeth Anderson, 16 years old, re-"It has been the boast for ages that garded as one of the most beautiful no man would have a hand in sending a girls in this city, was found murdered Sunday in a described house on the out-

Miss Anderson disappeared Sanday thrown into jail Thursday for forcing a morning, after being seen talking with a stranger. No alarm was felt until helped her, as he had just given my afternoon, when her father, Wesley Anlerson, got a few friends to unite with "It isn't for the lolkes o' me in these sick father a beating. derson, got a few friends to unite with in the clothes to go into the bouse of "The other two babies, who can hardly him in a search, which was soon joined poor mamma. For these little ones we a dark corner of the cellar buried unask your prayers, too.

"Get the 'Newport spirit,' never mind cut from ear to car, and horribly mutder a pile of clothing, with the throat

### BOAT'S OVERTURN FATAL.

The plucky girl's card has roused all Young Man Drowns In Union River Bay, Ellsworth, Me.

Ellsworth, Me., Sept. 26.-By the cap-Bowman and her baby are not in a sizing of a small boat in Union river, cell, but are living with the jailer's yesterday, Harrison Leach, aged 23 Peter Starkey, was able to swim ashere.

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### A VERDICT OF MURDER

Brought in by the Coroner's Jury in the Case

Belle Elmore Crime's Victim-Such Is the Conclusion from the Evidence Presented by the Prosecution.

Loudon, Sept. 27 .- The coroner's jury yesterday returned a verdict of willful murder against Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, the American dentist, in connection with the finding in the Crippen Hilldrop Cres-Crippen's wife, who was known on the stage as Belle Elmore.

The verdiet reached by the chief jus-

dence presented concerning the identity within my immediate knowledge, not diligent to avail himself of. of the buried body was unusually slim, one case has proved fatal. I have carebut that there was little doubt that fully inquired into the authenticity of ber of the Maine legislature, an excelthe remains were human,

that they could not swear as to the sex found but few fatalities among them Mr. Hale was elected to a seat in conon anatomical grounds, they agreed, the and no real evidence that they were gress and appeared in Washington in coroner declared, that all indications caused by the snake venom. Ialladay. Write for a copy today.

Of a woman. He pointed out that Belle been the cause, but proof is wanting. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by Elmore bore a scar, and that the doctors Ordinarily blood poisoning may easily.

me of whom is charged with having. The jury remained out one hour, and I knew a girl of 14 in the Pennsyl-

Work. Washington, Sept. 27.-The first of mark too stay of President Taft in are going to die, for you are not. Washington this week, was held yesterday in the cabinet room of the executive

Will Give a Whole Week to

Incidentally the president's president, and each day's sitting is expected to be a prolonged one. While

ters at the various departments, to be on the subject of forthcoming ju- the flowing blood for a minute or more ment in progress in Nicaragua; reports, flow of blood with a bit of clean paper, of the postal savings banks, and the very necessarily prevent blood poison clerks in money order offices.

### DRIVEN OFF JOB BY QUAKES.

Laborers In Arizona Construction Gang Report 52 Shocks.

Flagstaff, Ari., Sept. 27.-Seven mem- quently to accelerate heart action. bers of a construction gang arrived here Sunday night with a story of having a timid person, to carry with him to been driven away from their work near years, was drowned. His companion, the base of an extinct volcano in the dermic case, containing a good clean Cocoine forest, 45 miles north of Flag- needle and a vial of potassium permanstaff, by a series of 52 violent earth-

were felt here and in other northern dermic and inject the fluid into and Arizona towns, the shocks were so vio- close around both fang punctures. Then lent and the rumbling within the dead stop the blood. Permanganate soluvolcano so terrifying that the men broke tion when fresh is a powerful oxidizcamp and left in a panic.

slight, but they became stronger each before stopping the flow of blood, may es familiarity. It was a new member day and night until the final one on be resorted to when the hypodermic is of the capitol police force that met Priday.

### RUSSIANS TIRED OF LIFE.

In a Month 631 Try to Commit Sui-

cide; of These 329 Are Successful. returns from the various provinces, done, though of doubtful efficacy. now that 631 attempts at suicide were made by persons in Russia during the month beginning Aug. 14. and ending Sept. 13. Of this number, 329 attempts were successful and 121 of the persons who took their lives were at small towns.

### ANOTHER AVIATOR INJURED.

Started to Win \$30,000 Prize, Biplane Collapsed, Passengers Fell.

Paris, Sept. 26.-Aviator Loridan siled to-day in his attempt to fly from Srussels for the aero club for a \$30,000 prize. At St. Quentin, 81 miles from here, the biplane collapsed and Loridan and a passenger fell. Both were hurt Sold Everywhere. Is boxes 10c, and 25c, and the machine was smashed.

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TO GET IT'S BENEFICIAL EFFECTS, ALWAYS BUY THE GENUINE SYRUP - FIGS AND ELIXIR - SENNA (ALIFORNIA EIG SYRUP (O.

FOR SALE BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS ONE SIZE ONLY. PRICE 501 A BOTTLE cent house last July of the body of FATALITIES FROM SNAKE BITES. Not So Numerous As Commonly Sup-

posed.

Crippen. The verdict added that the says S. H. Aaron in Collier's Weekly, cause of death was poisoning by hyos- Of four persons and a dog bitten by a larger number of cases, mostly those Although the physicians frankly said struck by the rattlesnake, and have Hamentary history. The following year

pointed to the mutilated flesh being that of a woman. He pointed out that Belle been the cause, but proof is wanting.

When the books record deaths after snake bite they assume this to have interest in his young colleague and was been the cause, but proof is wanting. had reached the conclusion that a mark result from carcless treatment of the found on a piece of skin had been a fang wounds, and it seems apparent that the greater number of fatalities He also spoke of finding with the re- most easily observed difference between mains a piece of hair showing signs of the action of snake venom and ordinary having been bleached and drew attention blood poison, is the matter of time. land, caze an Englishman can't gov- back to make magnetic observations and Cambridge Policeman Charged With Too to the finding of hyoscine in the body yet prolonged filmess from snake hite ern any one but negers."

Le study evological formations along the and to the purchase of this drug by Dr. character: death, even, has followed after 48 hours. Death from septicemia Farland, accompanied by a single guide, turbance in the packing house district. As to Miss Leneve's position, the cormany occur in two days; it is more to penetrated a hundred miles farther of this city, near the Cambridge line oner told the jurors that it was no duty be dreaded than snake bite. Nature "Well, sor, I was lookin' while he was in the White House for 'em to gious to the east and north of Grand yesterday, of two local police officers, cessory before the fact. unnided can easily take care of the lat-

fired a revolver shot at a Cambridge on returning announced the verdict that vania mountains, who was struck by a gits it free are the Chancy nagers."

"But the president doesn't put the duty on tea; congress does that, and the president has no power to take it first found snow, and on Sept. 10 the sergeant.

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Hanch and Lewis, Sunday, were called to the district, where there was some of death. When the poison began its slightly benumbing action, she went to bed supperless, and not a thing was done for her. She was up late the next morning and felt out of sorts most of FOR MEETINGS the day. The third morning she was as well as ever. A little later I observed the fang marks and heard the in the crowd and fearing serious trout Members Camped In the White House girl's account of the incident. In this case, at least, as with the baby, blood poison did not play a part.

Having no means for medical treatment at hand, the best course to pursue if bitten by a venomous snake is; First, the series of cabinet meetings that will keep calm, and don't imagine that you ond, act quickly and sanely; much depends upon what is done the first few minutes before the poison has a chance formal opening being the luncheon to disseminate. Third, make a ligature scheduled for 1:30 p. m. house party also began yesterday, its to disseminate. Third, make a ligature The cabinet days will be busy ones, stout twine, and tighten with a stick A long programme of subjects to be thrust through the loop and twisted unconsidered has been made up by the to the cloth sinks deeply into the skin. Fourth, sterilize a knife blade by passing it slowly through a match flame, the cabinet will meet each morning, then cut into each fang puncture as the members will have their afternoons wide as the knife blade and about onefree, so that they may dispose of mat- fourth of an inch in soft fiesh; against a bone, the wound will be shal-In a general way, the discussions are low. Fifth, squeeze the poison out with dicial appointments by the president, by pinching the flesh deeply and all foreign affairs, including the readjust- around the wounds. Sixth, stop the estimates, and economy plans from the clean hands, and plentiful saliva, so as various departments; the inauguration to cause a healthy scab, and thereby extension of the civil service to include ing, which would prove in an already easistant postmasters and permanent unhealthy part, far more serious than half a dozen snake bites. Seventh, remove the ligature to prevent gangrene, and remain as quiet as possible or move slowly to a convenient place of rest. Eighth, if depression of the heart ac-tion is observed, take a finger of whisky, not more, and repent the dose fre-It may be well for anyone, especially

any snake-infested camp, a pocket hypo ganate crystals. While the wound is deeding from the knife cuts, produc Last Friday night, when slight quakes ing a deep purple color, fill the hypoing agent, and destroys the toxic char-C. McNichols, foreman of the gang, acter of the venom whenever coming in said the shocks began on the night of contact with it. Rubbing a lot of fineaturday. Sept. 10. The first were ly ground crystals into the open wounds | millarity nor anything that approach-

not at hand. But above all, keep the wound clean and do not become frightened, remem bering that many persons and animals have suffered very little from snake bite when not a thing was done for them, and that others have suffered St. Petersburg, Sept. 27.-Incomplete and sometimes died when much was

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### Passing Of Eugene Hale

victory in Maine marks the passing from politics of some well known men. In fact, it will take from public office our of our most famous Republican senators, a man who for twoscore years has played a foremost part in the affairs of this country. He is United States Senator Eugene Hale, a representative in congress from the Pine Tree State since 1869. In that year he became a member of the house of representatives, serving until 1881, when he was chosen a senator, and he has served continuously in that espacity. His present term expires in 1911, when a emocrat will succeed him.

Eugene Hale is of old English stock that was transplanted from Hertfordshire to Massachusetts in 1635. It has flourished in New England ever since and performed its full share in the making of our country what it has become. Senator Hale was born in Maine in 1836. The young man went tice was to the effect that the mutilated Nature rewards her votaries; it has to school, sequired an academic edubody found buried in the callar of the chanced that the writer has had abundant cation and then studied law and was Crippen home was that of Cora Crippen, dant opportunity to observe the effects admitted to the bar and began the pracwho had been willfully murdered by Dr. of snake bite, but always in others, tice of it when twenty years of age. He was successful from the start and soon had a prosperous practice. For nine years he was prosecuting attorney rattlesnakes, four persons and a horse of Hancock county, and that gave him In summing up the case vesterday bitten by copperheads, and two persons an excellent opportunity for the study afternoon, the coroner said that the evi- and a dog bitten by water moccasins of men, something be was swift and

In 1866, 1867 and 1868 he was a memlent school where were taught many of the most illustrious names in our parall," said the other. 1869. James G. Blaine was the speakin the power of every speaker to bestow. It was not a great while before



Photo by American Press Association SENATOR EUGENE HALE.

was laborious and alert and took a prominent part in debates. since then is well known, as he has woman most commonly when she been one of the most talked of public | weepeth." men in the country and columns have been written of his later career. He declined the postmaster generalship offered by Grant in 1874 and also a forced where saffron groweth." Shakecabinet appointment, that of secretary speare, Speaser and Dryden allude to of the navy, when Hayes was president. Among the anecdotes being retold of Senator Hale are the follow-

Once in the senate he fell like a pile driver on the practice of giving notice that a senator was going to make a speech on a certain day. While Hale was under way there leaped into his path the young and Joyous McCumber, the boy orator of North Dakota. He said he wanted to announce that he was going to make a speech on Wednesday,

"It has been the practice ever since I have been here," said McCumber,

emphasizing the I. "Yes," slowly rumbled Hale, "but such an announcement as the senator contemplates has no force. It is merely a custom which has grown up. When a senator desires to speak on Wednesday or some other day he arises and announces the fact, but it is merely for the purpose of bringing his panorama of the glaciers and snow friends here on that day or of'-"Yes?" said McCumber as Hale

paused. "Or of making them stay at home," concluded Hale in a bass growl,

McCumber sat down, Old senate employees have learned, some of them painfully, that the senator from Maine will not tolerate fa-Mr. Hale going into the big gray build-

exclaimed the copper, "Man," augrily returned Mr. Hale,

ing one morning.

"If you presume to address me again your position will be worth nothing." Then he strode down the corridor into his committee room, leaving outside a large man, mouth open and trembling, unable to figure out just what sort of breach he had committed, but at the same time certain that he had done something dreadful.

The Sacrifice. Mrs. Richleigh (scornfully)-I wish you had more brains, Ferdinand, instend of so much money. Ferdinand (unmoved)-I did once, dear, but it took all of them to get the money .-

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### HE ASKED THE TIME.

A Question and Answer That Changed a Clerk's Position.

How many clerks measure up to the standard of the young bookkeeper in this story from Human Life? He was employed in the passenger department of a great railroad. It was just a little before lunch. Some of the clerks were putting on their conts, some leaving for the washroom, some consulting the clock; some were still busy. Suddenly the "boss" entered. He glanced about him and then approached the young bookkeeper.

"What time is it?" he asked. The young man kept on figuring, and the boss put a hand on his desk and repeated the question. Instantly the other looked up, sur-

prised to see the chief at his elbow. "I beg your pardon, were you speaking to me?" he asked. "Merely inquired the time-that was

"The bookkeeper glanced about the room, located the office clock and said. "It's ten minutes to 12." "Thank you," said the general manager and vice president, and strolled

That conversation cost the young bookkeeper his place-in the passenger department-and put him under a higher officer "on the firing line." Nine years later he was sesistant general manager, and while still in the thirties became a general manager, full fledged.

### CHOCODILE TEARS.

Old Legends That the Brutes Shed

Them Over Their Prey. There was an old story, to which we find constant reference in Elizabethan writers, that crocodiles wept over their prey. No doubt the legend g because the crocodile possesses ly developed lachrymal glands, by appears in various amusing forms, As early as the fourteenth cent

in "Mandeville's Travels," we find:

that contre ben great pleatee of Co drilles. Theise serpentes sien men, thel eten hem wepynge." An odd turn is given to the tale the parrator of one of Sir John Ha kins' voyages. Whether be was n ma ried man or not we do not know, h he writes: "His nature is ever, who he would have his prey, to cry an sob like a Christian body, to provok them to come to him, and then h snatched at them! And thereupo came this proverb, that is applied unto Hale was a conspicuous member. He women when they weep, Lachrymae erocedili, the meaning whereof is that as the crocodile when he crieth goeth His work in and out of congress them about most to deceive, so doth a

In Fuller's "Worthles" there is the added information that "the crocodile's tears are never true save when he is

### this old world fancy.

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